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NEW YORK FUNDS LOWER IN PRO-PORTION THAN SINCE 1893.

Taking of Profits in Stocks Caused a Slight Reaction During the Past Week-Local Trade.

At New York Saturday money on call was steady at 4 per cent.

Prime mercantile paper, 3@4 per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.87@4.87% for demand and at \$4.84%@4.85 for sixty days; posted rates, \$4.86@4.861/2 and \$4.881/2; com-

mercial bills, \$4.85. Silver certificates, 60@61c; bar silver, 60%c;

Mexican dollars, 47%c. New York experts of gold and silver to all countries for the week aggregated \$755,-458 in silver bars and coin and \$274,150 in Chi., Ind. & L.
Chi., Ind. & L. pref...
Chie'go & N'th'w'st'n.160% 160% 160% gold. The imports of specie were \$29,285 gold and \$44,830 silver.

Delaware & Hudson... The imports of dry goods and general merchandise at the port of New York for the week were valued at \$8,617,780. Erie first preferred....

The weekly bank statement shows the following changes: pans, increase 6,968,900 Specie, decrease 5,638,500 Legal tenders, decrease...... 4,310,800

Deposits, decrease 2,948,900 Circulation, increase 40,700 The banks now hold \$5,062,475 in excess of the requirements.

The New York Financier says: "The associated banks of New York, if their statement for the week ending July 8 be accepted as correct, have less surplus cash on hand than at any time with the execution of the contract of the contra in making it, that its totals do not possess the significance that otherwise might attach to them. The loss of about ten millions in cash, for instance, is very much more than known operations called for and the expansion of nearly seven millions in loans must reflect the present week's business. The demands for accommodation within the past four days certainly did not necessitate this violent rise. As the statement stands it plainly indicates that every dollar of the loans has been taken from the banks in cash and withdrawal of deposits has been by a similar operation. Manifestly this is an impossible contingency. A more detailed explanation shows that of the loss in cash, the National City and the Chase National Banks are responsible for the entire reduction, the National City's loss having been about \$6,000,000 and its increase in loans more than \$6,000,000.

Consolidated Gas CONDITION OF BANKS. General Electric "It is interesting to note in this connection Federal Steel Federal Steel pref..... that, whereas the average reserve in all the banks is now 25.5 per cent., a loss of 1 per Lead Lead pref cent., the reserve, exclusive of the institu-Pacific Mail 48% 48% tion named, is 26 per cent. In other words, sixty-two of the sixty-three banks have Sugar pref 701/2 701/2 Tenn. Coal & Iron.... 72 72 within a small fraction of 1 per cent. as U. S. Leather 72 much paper money as reported at the open-S. Rubber ing of July. The refusal of call money to U. S. Rubber pref..... 90% 90% advance perceptibly in the face of the showing made by the banks proves that the situation is pretty well understood and that S. Fours, reg 1121/4 S. Fours, coup..... 1121/2 no fears are entertained as to the future. buring the next week the banks will gain S. Fours, new, reg..... heavily in casa, not only on government account, but from other sources as well. It s no exaggeration to say that at the close of business Saturday the various institutions were in much better shape in every S. Threes, reg..... 1081/4 way than their statements would imply. U. S. Threes, coup..... 109 The maintenance of a 4 per cent. rate on call money is of itself enough to induce a movement of currency in this direction." At Chicago-Clearings, \$20,756,627; bal-Total sales of stocks were 280,437 shares, including: American Steel and Wire, 2,200; ances, \$2,344.512. Sterling exchange posted, \$4.86½ and \$4.88½; actual, \$4.84¾ and \$4.86; documentary, \$4.48 and \$4.86; New York exchange, 25 cents discount. At St. Louis-Clearings, \$4,426,840; balances, \$646,550. At Cincinnati-Clearings, \$1,613,100.

Sugar, 15,800; Tobacco, 3,400; Atchison, 16,-600; Atchison preferred, 71,900; Baltimore & Ohio preferred, 3,300; Brooklyn Rapid Transit, 10,000; Chesapeake & Ohio, 6,700; Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, 11,200; Colorado Fuel and Iron, 3,600; Federal Steel, 2,000; Federal Steel preferred, 2,000; Louisville & Nachatlan, 24,200; Maximum Nashville, 3,200; Manhattan, 24,200; Mexican Central, 2,400; North. Pacific, 8,100; Ontario & Western, 4,000; Pennsylvania, 6,000; Peo-ple's Gas, 2,200; Rock Island, 7,400; St. Louis Bouthwestern, 4,000; St. Paul, 11,900; Southern Pacific, 2,900; Tennessee Coal and Iron, 6,500; Texas Pacific, 4,000; Union Pacific, The character of the trading in stocks was much confused throughout Saturday's ses-There were points of aggressive strength which encouraged the maintenance of prices, but the certainty of an unfavorable bank statement encouraged the continuance of profit-taking in some of the atocks which have recently advanced several points. On the publication of the bank statement the whole market sold off and net cline, causing a rally from the low point.

The liquidation was by no means heavy and are crowded with business. Druggists report the bears covered short contracts at the de- business usually good and confectioners are The denials of the reported alliance between Pennsylvania and New York Central caused the advance in those stocks, but the amount of selling was remarkably small The bank statement, on its surface, presents an extraordinary situation. It is almost unprecedented to have the cash reserves down to within a little over \$5,000,000 of the 25 per cent. required by law at this time of year. Yet the banks expanded their loans during the week nearly \$7,000, when they were already at the highest figure on record last week. The conclusion is unavoidable that the bank authorities see prompt relief in certain prospect. In fact, the easing tendency of money during the latter part of the week snows that the re-lief is already at hand. It comes in large part from the release of funds that had been accumulated for the disbursement of semi-annual obligations. It is also taken into consideration that interior points are better supplied with money than ever before, so that the conviction is held in banking circles that tightness in the New York

money market would bring funds from in-terior points to New York. ONE WEEK IN STOCKS. The action of the stock market during the past week has justified the confidence of those who bought securities the previous week in the belief that opportunity would be offered to realize profits quickly. The expected demand for stocks was forthcoming. but it was so freely fed with offerings accumulated the previous week that the strengthening effect on prices was offset and the tide turned in favor of reaction. Thus, in spite of a very active market for the short week, after a long holiday period, the net changes are not conspicuous in the majority of cases. The profit-taking was most effective early in the week in Pennsylvania and New York Central and the Vanderbilts. selling was not heavy in either of these but the large and confident buying of last week was discontinued and prices were not supported. The early disposition to take profits in the grangers was offset by the statement of St. Paul's earnings for the fourth week in June, showing an increase of nearly \$300,900 over the corresponding week of last year. With the largest earning in its history, thus recorded for the fourth week, the month of June and the fiscal year 1899, the effect was encouraging for the new fiscal year just opening, the more so as all reports of railroad earnings received during the week showed the same prosperous conditions on railroads in all sections of the country. Much stress is laid on the large amount of the year's earnings that have been reinvested in railroad properties, resulting in higher efficiency and paving the way for future reductions in the ratio of operating expenses. There were incidents corroborative of the earlier rumors of far-reaching combinations of control of railroad systems. calculated to make possible more economica ministration and to facilitate co-operative measures for conducting traffic, but, in

berries, 3-lb, 90@95c; pineapples, standard, 2-lb, \$1.10@1.20; choice, \$1.60@2.50; cove oysters, 1-lb, full weight, 85@95c; light, 60@65c; string beans, 70 @90c; Lima beans, \$1.10@1.20; peas, marrowfats, 85c@\$1.10; early June, 90c@\$1.10; lobsters, \$1.85@2; seen damaged by heavy rains and there fears of damage to railroad property red cherries, 90c@\$1; strawberries, 85@90c; salby the Texas floods. The most potent influence toward reactions was the failure of the money market to weaken as expected under the distribution of half-yearly interest and dividend dismon, 1-lb, 90c@\$1.85; 3-lb, tomatoes, 90@95c.

spite of these factors of strength in the

general outlook, the tendency toward reac-tion in the railroads prevailed, owing to the recent conditions. Profit taking was the

main factor. But there was, in addition, some apprehension that spring wheat had

bursements. Time money could readily be had at 3631/2 per cent. But call loans were slow to yield below 6 per cent. In London both call money and the discount rate fell below 2 per cent., reflecting the relaxation of pressure for the half-yearly settlement. Enormous loans were liquidated both at the Bank of England and the Bank of France. coke, per bu, 10c; crushed coke, per bu, 12c. The strain on the money market in Berlin and Vienna was not so much relieved, exchanges continuing to run against London. But confidence was shown that the stringency there would also relax soon, and that no further demand would be made on New York for gold. The easier money conditions n London brought large buying of stocks in New York for London account, until QUEER BANK STATEMENT money rates there began to harden again. The week's trading on the Stock Exchange has been distinguished by some reawakening of interest in industrial issues, as the market for railroad stocks fell into duliness on the reaction. The older dividend paying industrials have been favorites, but some of the newer ore and metal combinations have also shown signs of life, notably the coppers. Amalgamated Copper has moved up several points in the outside market, but is still well below the original subscription price, and Anaconda has been active and strong.

Bonds have shown increased activity and strength. United States new fours advanced the threes 1/2 and the fives 1/4 in the bid

Illinois Central 1151/2 Lake Erie & Western 17

L. E. & W. pref.....

St. Paul & Omaha pref

Southern Pacific

Wabash

Wabash pref Wheeling & Lake Erie

Wheeling & L. E. pref

U. S. Express.....

American Express

Wells-Fargo Express

American Wire

American Wire pref..... American Cotton Oil.....

UNITED STATES BONDS.

Fours, new, coup

Fives, reg.....

Fives, coup.....

Saturday's Bank Clearings.

At New York-Clearings, \$226,743,619; bal-

At Baltimore-Clearings, \$4,456,090; bal-

ances, \$536,748. At Philadelphia—Clearings, \$19,102,482; bal-

LOCAL GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

The Month Shows Active Trade for

Midsummer and Firm Prices.

at the way business has opened with July and

indications are that the month is to be a record-

breaker as to volume. Dry goods houses report

sales unusually large for July. Wholesale grocers

having good trade for the season. On Commission

row a very satisfactory trade is in progress and

prices on most articles are better than at the

corresponding period last year. Of late there

has been a marked increase in demand for provi-

good request, as are eggs, prices now being bet-ter than at the corresponding period last year.

Seed merchants report their trade improving. The

The local grain market is quite active, the in-

spections of the week having been the largest

of any one week in months. All cereals are in

good request at the following range of prices, as furnished by the secretary of the Board of Trade:

Wheat-No. 2 red, 71c; No. 3 red, 66@70c; July,

Corn-No. 1 white, 34c; No. 3 white (one color),

34c; No. 4 white, 31@33c; No. 2 white mixed,

3314c; No. 3 white mixed, 3314c; No. 4 white

mixed, 301/4/321/c; No. 2 yellow, 331/c; No. 3

3314c; No. 3 mixed, 331/4c; No. 4 mixed, 301/4@321/4c;

mixed, 27c; No. 3 mixed, 25½c. Hay—No. 1 timothy, \$9@9.50; No. 2 timothy,

rejected, 1; total, 38 cars. Corn: No. 3 white,

21 cars; No. 4, 1; No. 3 yellow, 2; No. 3 mixed,

7; No. 4, 1; no grade, 2; total, 34 cars. Oats:

Poultry and Other Produce.

(Prices paid by shippers.)

Poultry-Hens, 8c; cocks, 3c; young chickens, 13@14c; hen turkeys, young and fat, 7c; young

Cheese-New York full cream, 10@11c; skims,

668c; domestic Swiss, 10@15c; brick, 9c; limbur-

Butter-Choice, 11c; poor, 5@7c; Elgin cream-

Feathers-Prime geese, 30c per lb; prime duck,

HIDES, TALLOW, ETC.

Grease-White, 3c; yellow, 21/2c; brown, 21/4a.

THE JOBBING TRADE.

(The quotations given below are the selling prices

of the wholesale dealers.)

Candles and Nuts.

Candies-Stick, 61/26%c per lb; common mixed,

61-97c; G. A. R. mixed, 61-c; Banner twist stick, 8c; cream mixed, 9c; old-time mixed, 7c.

Nuts-Soft-shelled almonds, 11@13c; English

walnuts, 9@12c; Brazil nuts, 10c; filberts, 11c;

Oils-Linseed, 46@48c per gal; coal oil, legal

test, 7@14c; bank, 40c; best straits, 50c; Labrador,

60c; West Virginia, lubricating, 20@30c; miners', 40c; lard oils, winter strained, in brls, 40c per

Canned Goods.

2-lb, \$1.75@2; 3-lb seconds, \$1.35@1.60; California

standard, \$2.10@2.40; California seconds, \$1.75@2.

Miscellaneous-Blackberries, 2-lb, 65@70c; rasp-

Coal and Coke.

75c@\$1.25. Peaches-Eastern standard,

peanuts, roasted, 7@8c; mixed nuts, 10c.

gal; half bris, 3c per gal extra.

Green-salted Hides-No. 1, 84c; No. 2, 74c; No.

ool-Medium, unwashed, 18@19c; tub-washed,

Beeswax-30c for yellow; 25c for dark.

20@25c; burry and unmerchantable, 5c less.

3c for plucked.

young ducks, 8c; geese, 4c for full

Inspections-Wheat: No. 2 red, 34 cars; No.

33%c; No. 4 yellow, 31@33c; No. 2 mixed,

flour market is quiet and prices easier.

71c: wagon wheat, 71c.

ear corn. 331/ac.

Rejected, 3 cars.

Eggs-Candled, 11c.

calf. 10c; No. 2 calf. 816c.

Tallow-No. 1, 3c; No. 2, 21/2c.

Bones-Dry, \$12@13 per ton.

sions, poultry especially. Young chickens are in

Wholesale merchants are delightfully surprised

Boston-Clearings, \$29,916,654; balances.

ances, \$10,911,834.

ances, \$3,115,845.

Am'ric'n C't'n Oil pref 6% 6% American Spirits 6% 6% Am'ric'n Spirits pref American Tobacco ... 97% 97%

EXPRESS COMPANIES.

Adams Express 111

MISCELLANEOUS.

Brown Sheetings-Atlantic A, 51/2c; Argyle, 41/2c; Boott C, 41/2c; Buck's Head, 5c; Clifton CCC, 5c; Constitution, 40-inch, 51/2c; Carlisle, 40-inch, e; Dwight's Star, 6c; Great Falls E, 4%c; The following table, prepared by L. W. Louis, Room 11, Board of Trade, shows the Great Falls J. 4½c; Hill Fine, 5½c; Indian Head, 5½c; Pepperell R. 4%c; Pepperell, 10-4, 18c; Androscoggin, 9-4, 16c; Androscoggin, 10-4, 18c. range of quotations: Prints—Allen dress styles, 4½c; Allen's staples, 4½c; Allen TR, 4½c; Allen's robes, 4½c; American indige, 4½c; Arnold long cloth B. 7½c; Arnold LLC, 6½c; Cocheco fancy, 5½c; Hamilton fancy, 4½c; Merrimac pinks and purples, 5½c; Pacific Op'n- Hi'h- L'w- Cl's-Baltimore & Ohio fancy, 5½c; Simpson's mourning, 4½c; Simpson's Berlin solids, 5c; Simpson's oil finish, 6c; Amer-Canada Pacific Canada Southern ican shirting, 3%c; black white, 4%c; grays, 4%c. Ginghams—Amoskeag staples, 5%c; Amoskeag dress, 6c; Persian dress, 6c; Bates Warwick dress, Chicago & Alton..... 51/2c; Lancaster, 51/4c; Lancaster Normandies, 6c; Renfrew dress styles, 6c. Kid-finished Cambrics—Edwards, 31/2c; Warren,

31/2c; Slater, 31/2c; Genesee, 31/4c. Grain Bags-Amoskeag, \$14; American, \$14; Harmony, \$13.50; Stark, \$16. Tickings-Amoskeag ACA, 91/2c; Conestoga BF, 11½c; Cordis, 140, 9½c; Cordis FT, 9½c; Cordis ACE, 9½c; Hamilton awnings, 8c; Kimono fancy, 17c; Lenox fancy, 18c; Muthuen AA, 9½c; Oakland AF, 51/4c; Portsmouth, 101/4c; Susquehanna, 111/4c; Shetucket SW, 51/2c; Shetucket F, 6c; Swift

O. Kanawha lump, \$4.50; Winifrede lump, \$4.50; Biossburg smithing, \$5; smokeless, \$4.50; lump

Drugs.

Alcohol, \$2.56@2.68; asafetida, 25@30c; alum, 21/2

64c; camphor, 55@60c; cochineal, 50@55c; chloro-

form, 58@65c; copperas, bris, 75@85c; cream tar-

tar, pure, 30@33c; indigo, 65@80c; licorice, Calab.,

Dry Goods.

ley, No. 60, 7%c; Cabot, 5%c; Capitol, 4%c; Cum-

Straight grades, \$3.40@3.60; fancy grades, \$3.60@ 3.75; patent flour, \$4@4.50; low grades, \$2.25@3; spring wheat patents, \$5@5.25. Groceries.

Coffee-Good, 10@12c; prime, 12@14c; strictly prime, 14@16c; fancy green and yellow, 18@22c; Java, 28@32c. Roasted—Old government Java, 321/2@33c; Golden Rio, 24c; Bourbon Santos, 24c; Gilded Santos, 24c; prime Santos, 23c. Package coffee—city prices—Ariosa, 10.15c; Lion, 9.65c; Jersey, 10.15c; Caracas, 9.65c; Dillworth's, 9.65c; Mail Pouch, 9.65c; Gates's blended Java, 9.65c. Sugars—City Prices—Dominoes, 6c; cut-loaf, 6.13c; powdered, 5.88c; XXXX powdered, 6c; standard granulated, 5.75c; fine granulated, 5.75c; granulated-five-pound bags, 5.81:; granulatedtwo-pound bags, 5.81c; granulated-five-pound car- | NEWS IN SUNDAY'S JOURNAL tons, 5.81c; granulated-two-pound cartons, 5.81c; extra fine granulated, 5.88c; cubes, 5.88c; mold A, 6c; confectioners' A, 5.50c; 1 Columbia A-Key-stone A, 5.25c; 2 Windsor A-American A, 5.25c; 3 Ridgewood A-Centennial A, 5.25c; 4 Phoenix A -California A, 5.19c; 5 Empire A-Franklin B, 5.13c; 6 Ideal golden ex. C-Keystone B, 5.06c; 7 Windsor ex. C-American B, 5c; 8 Ridgewood ex. C-Centennial B, 4.94c; 9 yellow ex. C-California B. 4.88c; 10 yellow C-Franklin ex. C. 4.75c; 11 yellow-Keystone ex. C, 4.63c; 12 yellow-American ex. C. 4.56c; 13 yellow-Centennial ex. C. 4.56c; 14 yellow-California ex. C, 4.50c; 15 yellow, 4.50c;

Salt-In car lots, 80@85c; small lots, 90@95c. Spices-Pepper, 12@18c; allspice, 15@18c; cloves, 18@25c; cassia, 15@18c; nutmegs, 65@75c per lb. Flour Sacks (paper)—Plain, 1-32 brl, per 1,000, \$3.50; 1-16 brl, \$5; ½ brl, \$8; ¼ brl, \$16; No. 2 drab, plain, 1-32 brl, per 1,000, \$4.25; 1-16 brl, \$6.50; % brl, \$10; % brl, \$20; No. 1 cream, plain, 1-32 brl, per 1,000, \$7; 1-16 brl, \$8.75; 1/8 brl, \$14.50; 1/8 brl, \$28.50. Extra charge for printing, \$1.10@1.15 Screened Beans-\$1,35@1.40. Beans-Choice hand-picked navy, \$1.45@1.50 pe bu; Limas, California, 5@5% per lb.
Molasses and Syrups—New Orleans molasses fair to prime, 28@33c; choice, 35@40c; syrups, 18@

Rice-Louisiana, 41/2061/c; Carolina, 61/2081/c. Shot-\$1.30@1.35 per bag for drop. Lead-61/207c for pressed bars. Woodenware-No. 1 tubs, \$6@6.25; No. 2 tubs, \$5@5.25; No. 3 tubs, \$4@4.25; 3-hoop pails, \$1.50@ 1.60; 2-hoop pails, \$1.30@1.35; double washboards, \$2.25@2.75; common washboards, \$1.25@1.50; clothes Twine-Hemp, 12@18c per lb; wool, \$@10c; flax. 20@30c; paper, 25c; jute, 12@15c; cotton, 18@25c. Wood Dishes—No. 1, per 1,000, \$2@2.25; No. 5 \$2.25@2.50; No. 3, \$2.50@2.75; No. 5, \$3@3.25.

Iron and Steel. Bar Iron-2.10@2.30c; horseshoe bar, 8@34c nail rod, 7c; plow slabs, 3c; American cast steel 9011c; tire steel, 8@31/c; spring steel, 416@5c. Leather-Oak sole, 27@30c; hemlock sole, 246

26c; harness, 32@37c; skirting, 38@42c; single strap, 38@41c; city kip, 60@85c; French kip, 90c@\$1.20; city calfskin, 90c@\$1.10; French calfskin, Nails and Horseshoes. Steel cut nails, \$2; wire nails, from store, \$2.50

@2.70 rates; from mill, \$2.50 rates. Horseshoes. per keg, \$4; mule shoes, per keg, 4.50; horse nails, \$4@5 per box. Barb wire, galvan.zed, \$3.40; Produce, Fruits and Vegetables.

Apples-25@50c peck box. Red Raspberries-\$1.25@1.50 per 24-pint case. Bananas-Per bunch, No. 1, \$1@1.50. Lemons-Messina, choice, 360 to box, \$4@4.50; Oranges-California seedling oranges, \$4.50. Pineapples-\$1.50@2 per doz. Currants-\$1.25 per 24-quart case. Gooseberries-\$1.25 per crate. Blackberries-\$1@1.25. Cherries-\$1.50 per 24-quart crate.

Figs-California, \$1.65 per box; mat figs, 8@90 New Potatoes-60@70c per bu; \$3 per brl. Cucumbers-30c per dozen. New Beets-121/2015c per dozen bunches. Green Beans-\$1 per bushel. Wax Beans—\$1 per bushel. Lima Beans—5c per lb. Green Peas—75c@\$1 per bu.

Tomatoes-50@65c per crate of four baskets. Honey-White, 15c per lb. Provisions. Bacon-Clear sides, 40 to 50 lbs average, 64c 0 to 40 lbs average, 6%c; 20 to 30 lbs average, 74c; bellies, 25 lbs average, 6%c; 18 to 28 lbs av-

Hams-Sugar-cured, 18 to 20 lbs average, 10%c 15 lbs average, 10%c; 12 lbs average, 11%c; 10 lbs average, 111/2c. Lard-Kettle rendered, 61/2c; pure lard, 61/4c. Pork-Bean, clear, \$13; rump, \$10. Shoulders-18 to 20 lbs average, 6%c; 15 lbs aver-

erage, 6%c: 14 to 16 lbs average, 7%c. Clear backs, 20 to 25 lbs average, 6%c: 12 to 16 lbs av-

erage, 6%c; 6 to 9 lbs average, 7c. In dry salt.

age, 7%c; 10 to 12 lbs average, 7%c. Seeds. Clover-Choice, \$3.75; prime, \$4.25; English choice \$3.75@4; alsike, choice, \$4.50@5; alfalfa, choice, \$4.25@4.50; crimson or scarlet clover, \$3; timothy prime, \$1.30@1.35; light prime, \$1.35@1.46 \$1.25@1.30; fancy Kentucky, 14 lbs, \$1.16 extra clean, 60@75c; orchard grass, extra, \$1@1.10 red top. choice, 80c@\$1.40; English bluegrass, 24 lbs, \$1.15@1.75; German millet, \$1@1.25; Western millet, 60@85c; common millet, 40@60c.

___ TRADE IN GENERAL.

Quotations at St. Louis, Baltimore, Cincinnati and Other Places. LIVERPOOL, July 8.-Wheat-Spot, No. 2 red Western winter, stocks exhausted; No. 1 red northern Duluth steady at 68 1/2d. Corn-Spot, American mixed, new, firm at 3s 41/2d; old steady at 3s 5\(\frac{1}{2}\)d; futures quiet; July, 3s 4\(\frac{1}{2}\)d; September 3s 5\(\frac{1}{2}\)d. Flour dull at 8s for St. Louis fancy Beef steady; extra India mess, 60s; prime mess 55s. Pork firm; prime mess, Western, 45s. Hams—Short-cut, 14 to 16 lb, firm at 47s. Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, firm at 28s 6d; shortribs, 18 to 20 lbs, steady at 29s 6d; long-clear middles, light, 30 to 35 lbs, firm at 29s; long-clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, firm at 28s 6d; shortclear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, firm at 28s; clear bellies 14 to 16 lbs, steady at 28s 6d. Shoulders-Square, 12 to 14 lbs, firm at 25s 6d. Lard steady; prime Western, in tierces, 26s 3d; American refined, in pails, 26s 6d. Butter-Good United States, 62s. Cheese-American finest steady at 42s. Tallow-

steady at 25s 3d. Wheat-Futures closed quiet; July, 5s 8%d; September, 5s 11%d; December, 6s ST. LOUIS, July 8.-Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat-No. 2 red, cash, 72%c; July, 73%c; Sep tember, 74% @74%c; December, 77c; No. 2 hard, 71c. Corn—No. 2, cash, 34c; July, 3314c; September, 3314c. Oats—No. 2, cash, 2614c; July, 2314c; September, 2014c; No. 2 white, 2914c. Pork firm at \$9. Lard higher; prime steam, \$5.05; choice, \$5.10. Timothy seed, \$1.75@2.15. Corn meal steady at \$1.80@1.85. Bran scarce and firm; east track, 611/2c. Hay steady; timothy, Whisky steady at \$1.26. Cotton ties and bagging unchanged. Dry-salt meats nominal; boxed shoulders, \$5.121/4; extra shorts, \$5.121/4; clear ribs. \$5.25; clear sides, \$5.50. Bacon strong; boxed shoulders, \$5.50; extra shorts, \$5.62%; clear ribs.

Prime steady at 22s 6d; Australian (in London)

\$5.87½; clear sides, \$6.12½. Receipts—Flour, 3,000 brls; wheat, 24,000 bu; corn, 25,000 bu; oats, 22,000 bu. Shipments—Flour, 5,000 brls; wheat, 8,000 bu; corn, 85,000 bu; oats, 12,000 bu. BALTIMORE, July 8 .- Flour quiet and un changed; receipts, 4,458 bris; exports, 12,137 bris. Wheat firmer; spot and July, 74\\@74\c; August, 75\c; steamer No. 2 red, 70\\@70\c; receipts, 37,100 bu; Southern wheat by sample, 70\@75\c; Southern wheat on grade, 711/20754c. Corn firm er; spot and July, 37% @37%c; August, 37% @38c September, 38@384c; steamer mixed, 354@35%c; outhern white corn, 41@411/2c; Southern yellow, 42@4214c; receipts, 166,017 bu; exports, 4,891 bu. Oats dull; No. 2 white, 32@321/c; No. 2 mixed, 39

TOLEDO, July 8 .- Wheat lower and weak: No 2, cash and July, 73½c; Sentember, 75%c. Corn dull, but higher; No. 2 mixed, 35½c. Oats active and higher; No. 2 mixed, 23½c. Rye dull; No. 2, cash, 58c nominal. Clover seed active and steady: prime, cash, new, \$3.97%; October, \$4.67%. CINCINNATI, July 8.-Flour steady. Wheat steady; No. 2 red, 71@72c. Corn firm; No. 2 mixed, 36c. Oats firm; No. 2 mixed, 28@281/2c. Rye quiet No. 2, 65c. Lard strong and higher at \$5@5.65 Bulk meats firm at \$4.95. Bacon strong at \$5.70

Whisky steady at \$1.26. Butter, Eggs and Cheese. Anthracite, per ton, \$7; Brazil block, \$8.50; NEW YORK, July 8.—Butter—Receipts, 5,723
Island City, lump, \$8.54 Paragon lump, \$3.25; packages, Market guiet; Western ereamery, 150 NEW YORK, July 8.-Butter-Receipts, 5,723

Jackson lump, \$4.50; Pittsburg lump, \$4.50; C. & 181/c; factory, 12@14c. Cheese-Receipts, 1.80 packages. Market firmer; large white, &c; small white, 814c; large colored, 8c; small colored, 814c. Eggs-Receipts, 4,376 packages. Market firm for fancy and demoralized for inferior; Western, 141/2 @1516c; no more Southern. PHILADELPHIA, July 8 .- Butter steady; fancy

Western creamery, 184@19c; fancy Western prints, 20c. Eggs unchanged; fresh near-by and genuine, 30@40c; magnesia, carb., 2-oz, 25@30c; morphine, P. & W., per oz, \$2.30@2.55, madder, 14 @16c; oil, castor, per gal, \$1@1.10; oil, bergamot, per lb, \$2.25; opium, \$3.50; quinine, P. & W., per oz, 43@48c; balsam copalba, 50@60c; soap, castile, Fr., 12@16c; soda bicarb., 44@6c; salts, Enson. Western, 14@141/2c; fresh Southwestern, 131/2014c; fresh Southern, 111/2@12c. Cheese dull. KANSAS CITY, July 8 .- Eggs unchanged; good local inquiry, but storage demand fallen off considerably; fresh Missouri and Kansas stock,

Epsom, 465c; sulphur flour, 566c; saitpeter, 80 CHICAGO, July 8 .- On the Produce Exchange 14c; turpentine, 46@50c; glycerine, 14@17c; iodide potassium, \$2.50@2.50; bromide potassium, 55@60c; to-day the butter market was weak; creamery, 131/618c. Cheese firm at 81/69c. Eggs steady at chlorate potash, 20c; borax, 9@12c; cinchonida, 25 @30c; carbolle acid, 30@32c. CINCINNATI, July 8.-Butter steady. Eggs dull at 91/2c. Cheese firm. Bleached Sheetings-Androscoggin L, 6c; Berk-BALTIMORE, July 8.-Cheese steady. Butter

steady. Eggs quiet.

berland, 6c; Dwight Anchor, 6%c; Fruit of the Loom, 6%c; Farwell, 6c; Fitchville, 5%c; Full Width, 4%c; Gilt Edge, 4%c; Gilded Age, 4c; Hill, 6c; Hope, 5%c; Linwood, 6%c; Lonsdale, 6%c; Peabody, 4%c; Pride of the West, 9%c; Ten Strike, 5%c; Pepperell, 9-4, 18c; Pepperell, 19-4, 20c; Androscoggin, 9-4, 18%c; Androscoggin, 10-4, 20c; LONDON, July 8 .- At the wool auction sales to day 12,141 bales were offered. A good showing of Queensland and Port Philip merinos caused eager competition. The continent bought large quantitles of scoured. New Zealand slipes and low cross-breds were taken principally by the home trade. Following are the sales in detail: New South Wales-600 bales; scoured, 9d@1s 10d; greasy, 11d@1s. Queensland-1.900 bales; scoured, 1s 41/2d @ls 11½d; greasy. 8½d@ls 2d. Victoria—1.100 bales; scoured, ls ½d@ls 7½d; greasy, 5½d@ls 2½d. South Australia—600 bales; greasy, 5d@ls 1d. Tasmania—100 bales; scoured, 11d@1s 2d. New Zealand—7,700 bales; scoured, 6s@1s 9½d; greasy. 5d@ls. Cape of Good Hope and Natal-6,200 bales greasy, 7%@9%d. NEW YORK, July 8 .- Wool steady: domestic

> NEW YORK, July 8 .- Petroleum firm; refined New York, 7.40c; Philadelphia and Baltimore, 7.35c; Philadelphia and Baltimore, in bulk, 4.85c. Rosin firm; strained, common to good, \$1.30@ 1.321/2. Spirits of turpentine firm at 42@421/4c. OIL CITY, July 8 .- Credit balances, \$1.19; certificates opened at \$1.20 bid for cash; highest, \$1.201/2; lowest, \$1.193/4; closed at \$1.20 bid for cash; sales, 2,000 bris cash at \$1.20% and 1,000 bris cash at \$1.19%; shipments and runs not reported.

fleece, 19@24c; Texas, 13@16c.

WILMINGTON, July 8 .- Spirits of turpentine and rosin steady and unchanged. Crude turpentine firm. Tar firm. SAVANNAH, July 8.—Spirits of turpentine firm. Rosin firm and unchanged.

Cotton. NEW ORLEANS, July 8 .- Cotton steady; sales, 750 bales; ordinary, 31/2; good ordinary, 4c; low middling, 4 13-16c; middling, 51/4c; good middling, 65/4c; middling fair, 65/4c; receipts, 296 bales; stock, 184,805 bales.

Metals. NEW YORK, July 8 .- The brokers' price for lead is 4.30c and for copper 18.50c. ST. LOUIS, July 8.-Lead higher at 4.720.

Resume of Chief Events Printed in the Issue of July 9.

Liquid air is being adapted to commercial uses as a refrigerant and motive force. The Queen of Roumania has written an nteresting book on "Thoughts of a Queen." Gen. Joseph Wheeler will sail from San Francisco for the Philippines on the 28th

The steam brigantine carrying a party of explorers to the north pole has left Arch-Engineer Zeke Weatherford was assay sinated while sleeping in a coach at Chat-Harriman, the American golfer, defeated Champion Douglass, the Scotchman, in the Lake Forest tournament.

The new yacht Columbia defeated the old Defender over three minutes in a twentysix-mile race Saturday. Improved conditions are generally reported from the flooded districts in Texas, and the worst is thought to be over. President Schurman, of the Philippine Commission, denies that there has been any friction between General Otis and himself. The rush of Americans to Europe is so great that all the Atlantic line companies have ordered from one to four new ships. Revenue officers fought a battle with moonshiners in the mountains of Tennessee and captured three prisoners, wounding one. The Christian Endeavor convention held a peace jubilee on Belle Isle, a Detroit park, on Saturday, and adopted a memorial

in favor of international arbitration. William T. Stead says that the Americans scored cleverly in having presented to the peace conference at The Hague the doctrine of immunity of private property at

President McKinley summoned Governor Theodore Roosevelt to Washington on Saturday for a conference in regard to the officering of the new regiments of volunteers. Rumors were current that "Teddy" had been offered the war portfolio, to succeed Alger, but the reports were discred-ited.

(From Sunday's Second Edition.)

No Tin-Plate Scale Yet. CHICAGO, July 8 .- Little progress is being made by the conference of the American Tin-plate Company and its workmen, though a practically continuous session was held from 9 a. m. to 7 p. m. to-day. Ad-journment was taken to Monday morning. Both sides are as much at sea as to the final outcome of the conference as they were at the close of the session Friday. The chief cause of the long delay is the inability of the company to convince the committee of the workmen that it cannot afford mittee of the workmen that it cannot afford to pay the 20 per cent. advance asked for. This advance, it is claimed, is simply the restoration of wages to the old scale that prevailed previous to 1893, when the workmen consented to a reduction of 10 per cent., following it in 1895 with a further reduction of 15 per cent., both suffered in the hope of helping the manufacturers to tide over their helping the manufacturers to tide over their difficulties. The company contends that the price of raw material has advanced more than that of the finished product, and that they fear foreign competition. The delegates say that if the company can make it clear that it cannot pay the 20 per cent. at present prices of plate or from prices to be

willingly accept such lesser rate as can be demonstrated to be proper. A Tennessee "Picnic."

NASHVILLE, Tenn., July 8.-Near Pikeville, Tenn., at a pienie to-day, a fight occurred in which eight men were seriously wounded. On one side were the three Hoge brothers and Eas Hankins; on the other, Carroll Seals, two brothers and his son. Ed Seals was fatally wounded in the breast, Carrol Seals was shot in the shoulder and leg, Ervin Seals is hit in the thigh, while Eas Hankins is wounded in the head, fa-tally. A man named Willard had his head factured with a club.

To Take Power from Axles. TRENTON, N. J., July 8.—The Electrical Axle Light and Power Company, with an authorized capital of \$25,000,000, was incorporated to-day. The company is formed for the purpose of lighting, heating, ventilating and refrigerating railroad cars by means

of an electric current generated by the rev-

olution of the car axle. The company claims it will be able to refrigerate cars without the use of ice. The Continental Compressed Air Power Company, with an authorized capital of \$15,000,000, was also incorporated. Big Shipments of War Munitions. LONDON, July 9 .- A special dispatch from Rome says the German steamer Reichstag

has sailed from Naples with 15,000 rifles, 500 tons of war material and 500 mules for the Transvaal. According to the same dispatch. another steamer, with a similar cargo, will sail July 14 from Arenas. Pensions for Veterans.

Certificates have been issued to the following named Indianians: Original-William Armstrong, Pimento, \$8;

John J. Davis, Muncie, \$6; Peter A. Bailey, Montgomery, \$6. Additional-Washington Knoblock, Donaldson, \$6 to \$8. Increase-Enoch M. Bruner, Freeman, \$10 to \$12; Frederick Schwab, Wawaka, \$8 to \$12; Jeremian Noel, Rome City, \$12 to \$17; James R. Spencer, Birdseye, \$12 to \$17; Stephen Kline, Mishwaka, \$17 to \$24; Mitch-ell Finley, Smithville, \$6 to \$12; John W. Henry, Crawfordsville, \$6 to \$8; Thomas B. Ray, Indianapolis, \$6 to \$8; Joel Duling, Trask, \$6 to \$8; Henry H. Farmer, Green's Fork, \$6 to \$10; John I. A. Haughey, Hamilton, \$6 to \$12; William F. Baldwin, Westport, \$12 to \$14; George L. Gladden, Haughville, \$8 to \$12; Conrad J. Kochler, Elkhart, \$14 to \$17; James Dalias, Wolcottville, \$10 to \$12; Levi H. Melton, Laconia, \$8 to \$17. Original Widows, Etc.-Eliza Willis, Ho-mer, \$8; Margaret A. Alben, Peru, \$8

Watts in a Name. Catholic Standard. Magistrate-What's your name? Prisoner-Right. Magistrate-With a W? Prisoner-Sure. Magistrate-Well, Mr. Wright-Prisoner-My name ain't Wright. Magistrate-Come, don't be funny. You

Prisoner-No. I didn't. Magistrate-You did, sir! I said, 'What's our name?' and-Prisoner-That's correct. Magistrate—Hey? Prisoner—I say that's it. Magistrate—What's it?

aid your name was Wright.

WHEAT MARKET SAGGED

AFTER EARLY ADVANCE THERE WAS A DECLINE AND LOSS OF 3-SC.

Corn Was Strong on Heavy Exports, Twice as Much as Last Year-Provisions in Demand and Higher.

CHICAGO, July 8 .- After an early advance of 1/2c to-day, wheat turned weak on heavy country offerings and closed with a net decline of %c. Corn ruled independently strong, and closed 4c higher. Oats lost 4c. Provisions ruled active and surprisingly strong. Pork advanced 20c, lard 12%c, and ribs 15c. Wheat opened unchanged to 4c higher at

73%@73%c for September. Traders were inclined to avoid new committals to either side in view of the government crop report due next Monday. Reports from North Dakota, to the effect that a scourge of grasshoppers was feared, stimulated some buying, but the bulls appeared weak-kneed after getting September up to 741/4c, and there was a grand rush to secure profits. Selling orders poured in from the Northwest, from whence buying orders should naturally have originated had there been any substantial fears of damage from "hoppers." The market became greatly congested and a half hour before the close September slid off to 734c. The close was only a shade above the lowest, at 7340 73%c. Primary receipts, while still extremely heavy, showed a steady falling off. They were 682,000 bushels to-day, compared with 168,000 bushels a year ago. Chicago received 93 cars, compared with 11 a year ago. Minneapolis and Duluth got 366 cars, compared with 33 last year. Atlantic port clearances footed up only 260,000 bushels, wheat and flour.

Corn ruled firm, influenced principally by the strength in provisions. Local receipts were 969 cars. Crop reports were generally favorable. Total exports for the week of over 4,000,000 bushels, more than twice the amount exported the same week last year, helped strengthen the market. September pened steady at 33%c, advanced to closed at 33%c, a net gain of %c.

Oats ruled dull and featureless. Cash demand was extremely light and checked speculation. Receipts were 267 cars. September opened 1/3c lower at 20%c, sold up to 21c and closed at 20%c.

Provisions were active and strong from start to finish. An advance of 10c in hogs at the yards stimulated buyers in all departments at the opening. Great improve ment was reported in the cash demand, both domestic and foreign. September pork opened 7½c higher at \$8.62½, advanced to \$8.77½ and closed at \$8.75, a net gain of 20c. September lard opened 2½c higher at \$5.25, advanced to \$5.37½ and closed at \$5.35, a net gain of 20c. gain of 121/2c. September ribs opened 5c higher at \$4.95, advanced to \$5.10 and closed at \$5.05, a net gain of 15 cents.

Estimated receipts for Monday-Wheat, 135 cars; corn, 610 cars; oats, 223 cars; hogs, Leading futures ranged as follows: Articles. High-Wheat-July Sept.... Dec Corn-3314 33% 33% 33% July.... Sept.... Dec 23% 20% 22% May Pork-Sept.... 8.6214 8.6214 5.221/2 5.15 5.25 July.... 5.10 Cash quotations were as follows: Flour steady, No. 2 spring wheat, 721/2073c; No. 3 spring wheat 67@67½c; No. 2 red, 72%c. No. 2 corn, 33%@34½c

Mixed

desirable grades are selling at steady prices.

Elsewhere.

urday that sold at unchanged prices. Light sup-

er cows and helfers, \$3.25@5.45; canners

\$2.50@3.25; butcher bulls, \$3.25@4.25; Texans, \$3.60

Hogs-Receipts, 7,700. Trade brisk at strong prices, with local packers and shippers buying; heavy, \$3.90@4.05; mixed, \$3.60@4; light, \$3.70@4;

pigs, \$3.50@3.70. Sheep-Receipts, 2,500. Good demand; market

ruled firm at unchanged prices; native spring lambs brought \$5.25@6.85; muttons, \$4@5.50; stock-

CHICAGO, July 8.—There were not enough cat-tle received to-day to make a market. There were scattering sales at \$4.60@4.95. Prices still holding good despite a little weakening during

There was an active local and shipping demand for hogs to-day, prices advancing 5@10c per 100 lbs. The supply was well taken at \$3.70@4.05 for heavy, \$3.80@4.02% for mixed and butcher weights

and \$3.85@4.05 for light weights; pigs brought \$3.50 @4.02% and culls and rough lots \$2@3.70.

ers and feeders, \$3@4.50; culls, \$1.50@3.

\$2.50@4.65; wethers, \$5.10@5.25.

outchers, \$3.90@4.05.

sides (loose), \$4.75@5.05; dry-salted shoulders (boxed), \$5.25@5.50; short-clear sides (boxed), \$5.75 @6. Whisky, distillers' finished goods, per gal, corn, 52,000 bu; oats, 260,000 bu; rye, 12,000 bu; barley, 12,000 bu. Shipments-Flour, 16,000 bris; wheat, 135,000 bu; corn, 492,000 bu; oats, 217,000 bu.

AT NEW YORK.

Ruling Prices in Produce at the Seaboard's Commercial Metropolis. NEW YORK, July 8 .- Flour-Receipts. 30.587 brls; exports, 34,611 brls. Market dull and nominally unchanged; Minnesota patents, \$3.90@4.10; Minnesota bakers', \$3.10@ 3.25; winter patents, \$3.85@4.10; winter straights, \$8.45@3.55; winter extras, \$2.55@3; winter low grades, \$2.45@2.55. Rye flour dull; good to fair, \$3.10@3.25; choice to fancy, \$3.30@3.50. Corn meal steady; yellow Western, 80@81c; city, 81@82c; Brandywine, \$2.15@2.25. Rye quiet; No. 2 Western, 65c f. o. b. afloat. Barley steady; feeding, 42@421/2c, in Buffalo, and malting 47@51c delivered, New York. Barley malt steady: Western, 57@63c.

Wheat-Receipts, 123,950 bu; exports, 47,780 bu; sales, 495,000 bu futures and 184,000 bu present prices of plate or from prices to be made after the scale is signed they will affoat, 78%c in elevator; No. 1 Northern, tions opened steady on better cables, rumors of grasshopper ravages in the Northwest and small spring wheat receipts. Later the market developed greater strength on a sharp demand from shorts and closed strong at \%@\4c net advance. July closed at 79%c; September, 78%@79%c, closed at 79c; December, 80%@80%c, closed

Corn-Receipts, 300,300 bu; exports, 156,000 bu. Spot strong; No. 2, 40%c f. o. b. afloat, 393 c in elevator. Options steady and moderately active on talk of further export demand and coverings; closed strong, %@%c net advance. July closed at 39%c; September, 39 1-16@39%c, closed at 39%c. Oats-Receipts, 85,800 bu; exports, 40,651 bu. Spot quiet; No. 2, 30c; No. 3, 29½c; No. 2 white, 31½c; No. 3 white, 30½c; track Western, 30@311/2c; white, 31@361/2c. Hay steady; shipping, 60@65c; good to choice. 80@90c. Hops steady; State common to choice 1896

erop, 6@7c; 1897 crop, 11@13c; 1898 crop, 16@ 17c; Pacific coast 1896 crop, 6@7c; 1897 crop, 11@13c; 1898 erop, 17@18c. Hides steady; Galveston, 20 to 25 lbs. 161 @17c; Texas dry, 24 to 30 lbs, 121/2@13c; California, 21 to 25 lbs, 181/2c. Leather steady; hemlock sole, Buenos Ayres light to heavy weight, 201/2@211/2c; acid, Beef dull; family, \$9@10; beef hams, \$23.50 @24; packet, \$9.50@10; city extra India mess, \$14@15. Cut meats firm; pickled bellies, \$5@6 pickled shoulders, \$5; pickled hams, \$9.25@ Lard strong; Western steam, \$5.471/2; re

fined strong; continent, \$5.70; compound Pork firmer; mess, \$8.87%; short-clear, \$10 @11.75; family, \$10.50@10.75. Tallow steady; city, 41/20; country, 41/4c. Rice steady; domestic, fair to extra, 4% 7%; Japan, 4% 65%. Molasses steady; New Orleans open kettle, 32@36c. Cotton-seed oil quiet but firm; prime crude, 21%c; prime crude f. o. b. mills, 17@18c; prime summer yellow, 26@26%c; off summer yellow, 25%c; butter grades and prime win-Coffee-Options opened quiet and un-

ter yellow, 30@32c; prime white, 291/2c. changed, ruled generally inactive and featureless all day, investors and professionals alike being unable to find incentive in foreign market news, the statistical situation or domestic influence; spot neglected and nominal, closed dull and featureless. Sales, 1,000 bags, including: September, 4.35c; December and January, 5.30c. Spot coffee-Rio dull and nominal; No. 7 invoice, 61/8c; No. 7 jobbing, 6%c. Mild quiet; Cordova, 8@13c. Sugar steady; fair refining, 3 15-16c; centrif gal, 96 test, 4 7-16c; molasses sugar, 3 13-16c. Refined steady to firm and active No. 6, 4.81c; No. 7, 4%c; No. 8, 4.69c; No. 9, 4%c; No. 10, 4%c; No. 11, 4%c; No. 12, 4.31c; No. 13, 4.31c; No. 14, 4%c; mold A, 5%c; standard A and confectioners' A, 54c; cut loaf, 5%c; crushed, 6c; granulated, 5%c cubes and powdered, 5%c.

LIVE STOCK. Cattle Scarce and Quiet-Hogs Active

and Higher-Sheep Steady. INDIANAPOLIS, July 8.—Cattle-Receipts light; shipments none. There were but few fresh arrivals. The market was quiet at unchanged

COPY OF STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION

Franklin Fire Insurance Co.

On the 30th day of June, 1899. It is located at No. 421 Walnut street, Philadelphia, Pa. JAS. W. M'ALLISTER, President. EZRA T. CRESSON, Secretary. THE ASSETS OF THE COMPANY IN THE U. S. ARE AS FOLLOWS:

Stocks and bonds held as collaterals..... Interest due and accrued on collaterals...... Total assets\$3,188,252.28 LIABILITIES. Amount necessary to reinsure outstanding risks...... 1,586,453.92

State of Indiana, Office of Auditor of State. I, the undersigned, auditor of state of the State of Indiana, hereby certify that the above is a correct copy of the statement of the condition of the above-mentioned company on the 30th day of June, 1899, as shown by the original statement, and that the said original statement is now on

The greatest amount in any one risk, \$15,000.

COPY OF STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION

In testimony whereof I hereunto subscribe my name and affix my official seal this [SEAL.] 7th day of July, 1899.

W. H. HART, Auditor of State.

OF THE

Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company On the 30th Day of June, 1899,

> As of December 31, 1898. It is located at Nos. 921-3-5 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, Pa.

HENRY C. BROWN, Secretary and Treasurer, HARRY F. WEST, President. THE ASSETS OF THE COMPANY IN THE U. S. ARE AS FOLLOWS:

Total assets LIABILITIES. Losses adjusted and not due, losses unadjusted, losses in suspense, waiting for further proof

State of Indiana, Office of Auditor of State. I, the undersigned, auditor of state of the State of Indiana, hereby certify that the above is a correct copy of the statement of the condition of the above-mentioned company on the 30th day of June, 1899, as shown by the original statement, and that the said original statement is now or

In testimony whereof I hereunto subscribe my name and affix my official seal this W. H. HART, Auditor of State. [SEAL.] 7th day of July, 1899. ABSTRACTER OF TITLES.

THEODORE STEIN. Heifers, common and thin...... 3.50@ 3.75 ABSTRACTER of TITLES Cows, good to choice...... 3.85@ 4.25 Cows, fair to medium...... 3.40@ 3.7 Corner Market and Pennsylvania streets Indian-apelis. Suite 228, First Office Floo., "The Lemcke." Telephone 1760. PHYSICIANS. DR. C. I. FLETCHER, RESIDENCE—1023 North Pennsylvania street.
OFFICE—713 South Meridian street.
Office Hours—9 to 10 a. m.; 2 to 4 p. m.; 7 to 8
p. m. Telephones—Office, 907; residence, 427. Hogs-Receipts, 4,500; shipments, 2,500. The market opened active at 5c advance, packers and shippers being free buyers, and closed steady, with all sold. Dr. W. B. Fletcher's SANATORIUM Mental and Nervous Diseases. 3.90@3.974

218 NORTH ALABAMA STREET. Dr. J. A. COMINGOR, Sheep and Lambs-Receipts light; shipments Deformities and Ruptures, none. But few on sale, except some common 34 When Building. stockers that had been held over from day to

day, but they were slow sale at mean prices. All DR. JOS. E. MORROW. Genito-Urinary Diseases, Sheep, good to choice......\$3.50@4.00 20 West Ohio St. Office Hours-10 to 12 a. m.; 7 to 8 p. m.; Sun-

days, 9 to 10 a. m. SEALS, STENCILS, STAMPS. KANSAS CITY, July 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 610 natives and 570 Texans. Liberal supply for Sat-

CATALOGUE FREE BADGES, CHECKS &C. ply this week caused a general advance in prices amounting to 15@25c for most desirable bunches, with plainer grades steady to 10c higher; heavy native steers brought \$5.25@5.60; medium and light, \$4.60@5.25; stockers and feeders, \$3.75@6.25; butcher cows and heifers, \$3.25@5.45; canners

OPTICIANA.

RAILROAD TIME CARD. P. M. time is in BLACK figures.—Trains marked thus: *-Daily, S-Sieeper, P-Parler Car, O-Chair Car, D-Dining Car, t-Except Sunday. C.C. C. & St. L. Ry-Big - Route

City T'k't Office, No. 1 E. Wash. 8t. CLEVELAND LINE To-day's supply of sheep was too small to amount to anything, a good share of the supply being consigned direct to local shippers. Prices were little more than nominal at \$2@3 for culls Muncie accommodation 4.55
Union City acco'dation 4.50
Cleve, N.Y. & Bos, ex. a. 4.25
10.35 Cleveland, New York & Boston mail...10 50 Cleve, N Y & Bos "Knickerbocker". *6.25 BENTON HARBOR LINE. ST. LOUIS LINE. St Louis accommodation Lafayette accommodation..... Chicago fast mail, d p.

> Cincinnati express, s..... N. Vernon and Louisville ex 2.45 PEORIA LINE Peoria, Bloomington m and ex...... Peoria and Bloomington f ex.......

Sheep-Receipts, 3,500. Market steady; native muttons, \$4.25@4.60; spring lambs, \$4.25@6.50; culls and bucks, \$1.50@4; stockers, \$2.50@3.25; Texas muttons, \$3.75@4.10. NEW YORK, July 8.-Beeves-Receipts, 727. No trading. Market nominally steady. Shipments, 1,072 cattle, 55 sheep and 5,390 quarters of beef. Cables unchanged. Calves-Receipts none; 110 State calves on sale. Market dull and unchanged; good buttermilks, \$3; veals nominal.

Hogs-Receipts, 2,178. None for sale; market good lambs steady; medium and common dull and weak; sheep, poor to fair, \$3@4.50; common to choice lambs, \$5@7.15. CINCINNATI, July 8 .- Cattle steady at \$3.25@

Sheep steady at \$2.25@4.25; lambs dull and lower SALES OF REAL ESTATE.

Eight Transfers, with a Total Consideration of \$12,900. Instruments filed for record in the recorder's office of Marion county, Indiana, for the twentyfour hours ending at 5 p. m. July 8, 1899, as furnished by Theo. Stein, abstracter of titles, corner of Market and Pennsylvania streets, Indianapolis, Suite 229, first office floor, The

Theodore F. Marcey to Geo. W. Owings, Lot 73. Englewood addition..... A. H. Bennett to E. B. Helliday, part of Lot 13, James Morrison's addition....... Thos. J. Hamilton to James R. Davidson, Henry H. De Wolf to Rosanna A. Krutsch, Lets 1 to 12 and 26 to 28, inclusive, Block 2. and Lots 46 and 47. Block 13... Isaac S. Ash to Charles M. Hoffman, Lot 175, Johnson & Hogshire's East Washington-street addition Cornelia M. Dunn to George Bannon, part of west half Section 20, Township 15, range 4 Ambrose Dunn to George Bannon, part of Section 20, Township 15 north, Range 1,000 Louis Mueller to Cornelius Shine, Lot 206, McCarty's subdivision of Outlot 120 1,600 Transfers, 8; consideration.....\$12,190

A Symbol. Philadelphia Times. Now more than ever the rooster may be the American symbol of political victory

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up to \$5@5.40 for prime flocks; yearlings were quotable at \$5@6.25 and spring lambs at \$4@6.90.
Receipts—Cattle, 200; hogs, 17,000; sheep, 2,000. EAST BUFFALO, July 8 .- [Special.]-Ransom, report: Cattle-Eight cars on sale, mostly Can-adas. Market held steady; fat stock firm; veals, \$5@6.50. Hogs-Receipts, 20 cars. Market fairly active and firm at yesterday's closing prices; bulk of Yorkers, \$4.10; mixed packers, \$4.07\204.10; mediums, \$4.071/204.10; heavy, \$4.05@4.071/2; plgs, \$4.10; roughs, \$3.50@3.60; stags, \$2.90@3.10; closed firm at Sheep-Receipts extremely light, only about two Chicago, White City special, d p 4.15 cars. Market steady to strong; best spring lambs quotable at \$6.50@6.75; common to good, \$5.50@6.25; mixed sheep, tops, \$4.75@5.50; culls to good, Chicago night express, s. ST. LOUIS, July 8.-Cattle-Receipts, 200, all Texans. Market steady to firm; fair to choice native shipping and export steers, \$4.85@5.45; steers under 1,000 lbs, \$3.75@5.25; stockers and feeders, \$3@4.35; cows and helfers, \$2@5; bulls, \$2.65@4; canners, \$1.25@5.85; Texas and Indian steers, \$3.60@5; cows and helfers, \$2.25@4.50. Hogs-Receipts, 4,400. Market 5@19c higher; pigs and lights, \$3.90@3.95; packers, \$3.85@4.55; CIN., HAM. & DAYTON BY. City Ticket Office, 25 W. Wash. St. Cincinnati express.....93,55 Cincinnati fast mail, e... *8.25 *6.50 Cin. and Detroit ex..... †10.45 *10.35 Cincinnati and Dayton express, p... †2.45 Cincinnati and Dayton limited, p 4... 4.45 Cincinnati, Toledo, Detroit...... 7.07 MONON ROUTE TINTE CHL., IND. & LOUIS. BY. Ticket Office, 25 West Wash. S Chi'go night ex. s. . 12.55 Chicago fast mail, s. p d.....*7.00 LAKE ERIE & WESTERN R. R. Peru and Toledo ex..... Peru and Plymouth accom and ex... 17.00 INDIANA, DECATUR & WESTERN BY. Decatur and St. Louis mail and ex.... +8.15 Decatur & St. Louis fast ex. s c *11.05 Vernon and Madison. Pittsburg and Kast ...

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